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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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IN RE: SOCIAL MEDIA ADOLESCENT
 ADDICTION/PERSONAL INJURY
 PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

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This Document Relates to:

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K.O. and J.O., individually and as next of friend to minor D.O. v. Meta Platforms, Inc., et al., 4:23-cv-04255

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K.P., individually and as next of friend to minor S.P. v. Meta Platforms, Inc., et al., 4:23-cv-05794

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I.T. individually and as next of friend to minor, A.P. v. Meta Platforms, Inc., et al., 4:23-cv-03292

Case No. 4:22-MD-03047-YGR

MDL No. 3047

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING
 PLAINTIFFS' EIGHTH
 CONSOLIDATED EX PARTE
 APPLICATION AND APPOINTING
 GUARDIANS AD LITEM**

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[PROPOSED] ORDER

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The Court is in receipt of Plaintiffs' Eighth *Ex Parte* Application for Appointment of Guardians *Ad Litem* (hereinafter, "Eighth *Ex Parte* Application").

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Pursuant to this Court's Order Regarding Appointment of Guardians *Ad Litem* (ECF No. 122), *Ex Parte* Applications for Appointment of Guardians *Ad Litem* ("Applications") submitted by parents and/or legal guardians were deemed presumptively approved upon filing because there was no apparent conflict between the applicants' parental responsibility and their obligation to assist the Court in "achieving a just and speedy determination of the action." ECF No. 122 ¶ 4

1 (citing *J.M. v. Liberty Union High Sch. Dist.*, No. 16-cv-05225-LB, 2016 WL 4942999, at *1
 2 (N.D. Cal. Sept.16, 2016)).

3 On February 23, 2024, Applications were submitted by the parents and/or legal guardians
 4 to serve as guardians *ad litem* for the individual minor plaintiffs in the following cases:

- 5 • *K.O. and J.O., individually and as next of friend to minor D.C. v. Meta Platforms, Inc., et*
 6 *al.*, 4:23-cv-04255 (Exhibit 1);
- 7 • *K.P., individually and as next of friend to minor S.P. v. Meta Platforms, Inc., et al.*, 4:23-
 8 *cv-05794* (Exhibit 2); and
- 9 • *I.T. individually and as next of friend to minor, A.P. v. Meta Platforms, Inc., et al.*, 4:23-
 10 *cv-03292* (Exhibit 3).

11 Pursuant to this Court's Order Regarding Appointments of Guardian *Ad Litem*, the
 12 Court's presumptive approval of these Applications will become final if no objections are filed
 13 within fifteen (15) days of the filing of Plaintiffs' Eighth *Ex Parte* Application. ECF No.122 ¶5.

14 Having received no objections on or before March 11, 2024, which is fifteen (15) days
 15 after the filing of Plaintiffs' Eighth *Ex Parte* Application¹, and good cause appearing, it is hereby
 16 ordered that that the applicants identified in the Applications for the cases listed above are
 17 appointed as guardians *ad litem* for the minor plaintiffs in those actions for the purposes of this
 18 litigation until the minor reaches the age of majority.

19 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

20 Dated: _____

21 Hon. Yvonne Gonzalez Rogers
 22 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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28 ¹ The fifteenth (15) day after the filing of Plaintiffs' Eighth *Ex Parte* Application was Saturday,
 March 9, 2024, such that the deadline to object was the next court day, March 11, 2024.